

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

**NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

**May 7, 2004**

**IN RE:**

**PETITION OF LOADPOINT, LLC FOR ARBITRATION  
WITH BELL SOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.**

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**DOCKET NO.  
04-00060**

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**ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME**

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This matter is before the Pre-Arbitration Officer upon the request of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to extend the deadline for the filing of briefs in this Docket from Monday, May 10, 2004 until Monday, May 17, 2004 in order to facilitate additional settlement discussions. In as much as this request is unopposed and should not inconvenience the proceedings before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA"), the request is well taken and is hereby granted.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

Initial briefs shall be filed with the TRA no later than May 17, 2004. Any responsive briefs shall be filed with the TRA no later than May 24, 2004. Alternatively, the Parties may file with the TRA no later than May 17, 2004, an update regarding settlement negotiations and/or a withdrawal of the petition for arbitration.



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Kim Beals, Counsel  
as Pre-Arbitration Officer